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AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the specification as follows:

Please amend the Title of The Invention as follows:

COMPUTER SYSTEM USING A DIGITAL CAMERA <u>THAT IS CAPABLE OF</u>
INPUTTING MOVING PICTURE OR STILL PICTURE DATA

At pages 9-10, paragraph [0023]:

[0023] The system controller or main controller 306 of the camera 30 drives the various sections of the camera 30, including the image pickup system system and a recording system, in accordance with the commands received from the host computer 10. In the illustrative embodiment, the system controller 306 has a function of analyzing the above commands. Particularly, operating the various sections on the basis of the result of analysis, the system controller 306 controls the periodic reading of image data representative of a moving picture out of the image pickup system for the isochronous transfer. Further, the system controller 306 controls the writing of image data or files representative of still pictures in the memory card or the reading of the same out of the memory card in accordance with bulk transfer. In addition, in the illustrative embodiment, the system controller 306 executes control when the system software fed from the host computer 10 by bulk transfer should be rewritten.

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At pages 20-21, paragraph [0055]:

[0055] As stated above, to receive image data representative of a moving picture from the camera 30 together with speech data, the host computer 10 starts up the image driver 112 and audio driver 114. The camera 30 then transfers a preselected amount of data to the host computer 10 by isochronous transfer every transfer frame. The host computer 10 starts up, if necessary, the storage driver 110, causing the camera 30 to transfer data representative of still pictures taken beforehand by bulk transfer. In the te-same time instant, the host computer 10 also confirms the data representative of still pictures. Further, the host computer 10 starts up, if necessary, the operation driver 116, so that the participant can pick up a still picture any time during discussion. Image data representative of this still picture is also transferred from the camera 30 to the host computer 10. In this manner, not only image data representative of a moving picture and speech data but also image data representative of still pictures can be sent from the camera 30 to the host computer 10 for facilitating discussions.

At pages 22-23, paragraph [0059]:

[0059] FIG. 4 shows a specific setup of a comparative computer system. As shown, the comparative computer system includes a host computer 600 and a digital camera 500 connected to the host computer 600 as an apparatus for generating image data, which is representative of a moving picture. A microphone 510 is also connected to the host computer 600 and plays the role of an apparatus for generating speech data. Further, a card reader/writer 530 is connected to the host computer 600 when image data representative of

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still pictures are desired. The card reader/writer 530 writes or reads image data in or out of a memory card removably loaded on the digital camera 520. By contrast, in the illustrative embodiment, only the camera 30 is connected to the host computer 10 by the USB cable 20a, as described with reference to FIG. 3. The illustrative embodiment is therefore far simpler in configuration than the computer system of FIG. 4 and can effectively start operating only if use used is made of, e.g., an icon representative of the camera 30.